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Dear Mr Salem Azzam,

Thank you for sending me a copy of your Press Release concerning the arrest and detention of Mr Sadiq el-Mahdi together with a number of his colleagues.

I have enclosed for your information a copy of an action already initiated by Amnesty International on their behalf.

We are planning to take further action in due course and would be grateful to receive any additional information you might have concerning their subsequent treatment and whereabouts following their arrest. We would also appreciate any additional personal details you may have regarding those persons appearing on our action and the additional names appearing in your Press Release.

If we receive any additional information to that enclosed we will pass this on to you and trust that you will do the same.

Yours faithfully,

Martin Hill
Researcher Eastern Africa Region

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